## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION

LENOX JOHN CURRIE,	
Plaintiff,	
v.	Case No. 3:19-cv-00517-FDW-DCK
THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA,	
Defendant.	

## UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR DEFENDANT THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA TO RESPOND TO COMPLAINT

Defendant, THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA (hereinafter "Prudential"), by and through its attorneys, hereby moves for an extension of time of 14 days, until November 22, 2019, to respond to Plaintiff's Complaint. In support of its Unopposed Motion, Prudential states as follows:

- 1. Plaintiff filed his Complaint on October 9, 2019.
- 2. Prudential was served through the North Carolina Department of Insurance with the department receiving the Complaint on October 18, 2019, making Prudential's Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint due on November 8, 2019.
- 3. Prudential began promptly collecting and reviewing the relevant file documents in order to prepare a response to Plaintiff's Complaint, but requests additional time of 14 days to complete its investigation and prepare its response.

4. On November 6, 2019, Counsel for Prudential conferred with Counsel for Plaintiff regarding the request for an extension of 14 days to respond to Plaintiff's Complaint. Plaintiff's Counsel indicated that Plaintiff does not oppose this request.

5. This motion is filed before the response to the Complaint is due and is sought in good faith and not for the purpose of unwarranted delay.

WHEREFORE, Prudential respectfully requests that the Court issue an order granting it an additional 14 days, until November 22, 2019, to file its response to Plaintiff's Complaint.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: November 7, 2019

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on November 7, 2019, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME to be electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court via the Court's CM/ECF system, which sent notification of such filing to the following counsel of record:

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